

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA
ROANOKE DIVISION**

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AT ROANOKE, VA
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JOHN F. O'CORCORAN, CLERK
BY:

In accordance with the accompanying memorandum opinion, it is hereby

ADJUDGED AND ORDERED

that the motion to dismiss is **GRANTED**, the petition for a writ of habeas corpus, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254, is **DISMISSED**; and this action is stricken from the active docket of the court. Based upon the court's finding that the defendant has not made the requisite showing of denial of a substantial right, a certificate of appealability is **DENIED**.

ENTER: This 29th day of October, 2009.

James
United States District Judge